

CHAPTER 208

WILLS AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

H. F. 468

AN ACT to amend section three thousand three hundred four (3304) of the code (C. C. 7826), relating to notice of appointment of executors and administrators, and legalizing notice of appointment given prior to January 1, 1920.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 **SECTION 1. Notice of appointment.** That the law as it appears in
2 section three thousand three hundred four of the code (C. C. 7826)
3 be, and the same is hereby amended by striking out the period at
4 the end of said section, and adding thereto the following: "and en-
5 tered of record in the probate docket."

1 **SEC. 2. Publication legalized.** That in all instances prior to Janu-
2 ary 1, 1920, where executors or administrators have failed to publish
3 notice of their appointment as required by code section three thou-
4 sand three hundred four (3304), but have published a notice of ap-
5 pointment, such notice of appointment is hereby legalized and shall
6 have the same force and effect as though the same had been pub-
7 lished as directed by the court or clerk.

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CHAPTER 209

PROPERTY STOLEN OR EMBEZZLED

S. F. 701

AN ACT to amend section fifty-five hundred seventy-three (5573) of the code of 1897 (C. C. Sec. 8054) relating to the disposition of stolen, embezzled or abandoned motor vehicles not claimed by the owner thereof.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 **SECTION 1. Disposition of motor vehicles.** That the law as it
2 appears in section fifty-five hundred seventy-three (5573) of the code
3 of 1897 (C. C. Sec. 8054) be and the same is hereby amended by add-
4 ing at the end of said section the following: "Provided, that, when-
5 ever any motor vehicle is stolen, embezzled or abandoned and is not
6 claimed by the owner before the date on which the person charged
7 with the stealing or embezzling of same is convicted, or if the motor
8 vehicle be abandoned and is not claimed by the owner within three
9 (3) days, the officer having same in his custody must, on such date
10 by registered mail, notify the secretary of state that he has such a
11 motor vehicle in his possession, giving a full and complete descrip-
12 tion of same including all marks of identification, factory and serial
13 numbers.